

THE DELAVAN TROUBLE.

Not very much has been done so far to-ward investigating the charges made against Superintendent DeMotte, Mr. Woodbury and several lady teachers of the Institution for Deaf and Dumb. Quite enough, however, is known, to convince all fair-minded persons that the charges are the malicious fabrications of one Williams, who formerly taught in the Institution, and who was relieved of his place for many substantial reasons. On Wednesday of this week, the State Board of Charities and Reform visited Delavan for the purpose of conferring with the Board of Trustees of the Institution, and to arrange for a thorough investigation of the charges. The Board of Trustees held a session of Thursday to take the matter into consideration and finally decided to request Governor Smith to authorize the State Board to make a careful and complete investigation of all the charges. Should the Governor order the Board of Charities to proceed with an investigation, they will enter upon the work at the earliest possible moment and will make an exhaustive examination of the matter. It is a satisfaction that in Delavan, where all the parties charged are well known, the stories are not believed, and the citizens of that place have no faith in the man Williams the accuser.

Relative to his life and character, we gather some notes of value from the Delavan Republican, which will be of some interest, inasmuch as he has created the report of the scandal. His name is C. L. Williams, and was first employed in the Institution eight years ago. When he was fairly seated in a professor's chair, he took an active part in local church work, and made a very loud profession of religion, and once in a while filled the pulpits, and that was when he got an opportunity. He taught Sunday School classes, dashed about among the churches, and to appearances was a worthy young man. He became ambitious, however, and aspiring, and in 1875 his attempt to become principal of the Institution, succeeded in making Prof. West then principal, resign. When Williams failed to reach the superintendency of the Institution, "he divided his spare time as equally as possible between his pleasure yacht, "Black Gull," his fast horse, "Old John," and his arduous duties as guardian of a mute boy, whose entire estate it is said he squandered, and the boy is now a pupil at the Institute, and is provided for entirely at State expense. In February, 1877, Mr. Bishop, of Evansville, whose daughter Ada had graduated the previous June, made statements to the Board against Williams, accusing him of seducing his daughter. In corroboration of this he produced quite a number of letters from Williams to the girl written after she had left the school, which were plainly susceptible of the interpretation given. He also produced intercepted letters from his daughter to Williams which bore a like interpretation. The Board held an extra meeting on February 22d, at which they informed Williams of the statements of Bishop, told him that the institution had expired, and accepted his resignation, which was tendered after some parley. From that time to this he has been circulating his infamous charges, threatening to "blow off the top of the Institute," and accusing the Board of Trustees of being a ring whose sole object in life was to prevent his obtaining employment in other institutions.

This is a sketch of the C. L. Williams, who has done and is still doing so much to bring disgrace on the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. There is no doubt that he will fail to sustain the charges.

THE INCOME-TAX.
The income-tax which Democrats during the last years of the war and for five years after, denounced as infamous and unconstitutional, has been recommended by the Democratic Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives, as a means to raise money for the Government. This action of the Committee is truly astonishing. The measure was one of the most unpopular and odious ever devised by the Government, by which to gather a revenue. It was passed at a time when the nation was at war, and when every legitimate means were resorted to for money with which to support the Government. The first income-tax was passed in July, 1862, and took effect in 1863. It taxed all incomes over \$600 and under \$10,000, at the rate of three per cent, and on all over \$10,000 at five per cent. Under the law \$15,000,000 were brought into the treasury in 1864; and in 1865, \$21,000,000. In 1865-6, the war having ceased, and the country being in a high state of development in all its resources, the income-tax rose to a point the highest ever reached in the history of the tax. The returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1866, showed a total revenue from the income-tax of over \$60,000,000, and in 1867, the receipts were over \$57,000,000. The law was repealed in 1871. It had fulfilled its mission and there was a clamor for its abolition. Nothing but the strain on the national resources caused by a tremendous civil war, could ever have led to the enactment of such a law, and nothing but a deep sense of the loyalty could have induced the people to submit to its provisions.

But now there is no occasion for an odious law. The resources of the Government do not demand it and common sense and justice are against it. And yet a Democratic Committee have recommended that a two per cent. tax on income exceeding \$2,000 per annum, be passed. It is safe to say that the bill will never pass the Senate should it get through the Confederate House. But the bill shows the aims of the Confederates. Probably this is one of those measures which looks towards the

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Some Interesting State and Miscellaneous Items.

FLORIDA.

Those "Confessions" No Great Impression Made The Tricksters at Work.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—The McLin confession seems to have fallen flat, and unless Democrats revive it by attempting another investigation, it will be forgotten a week hence. It is stated, on very good authority, that evidence is being worked up in Louisiana for a similar purpose. In an interview to-day, General Butler said: "Dennis was introduced to me by a personal friend, and said that he knew something about the Florida elections, and that he knew that there had been frauds committed, by the alteration of poll and return books, whereby sufficient Republican votes to make a majority for Hayes had been secured. He also read to me certain papers purporting to prove that I said: 'It is so, I do not see how Hayes can hold his office, but this is a matter which belongs to Congress, and Congress alone should deal with it.' He also informed me that these matters had been made known to Mr. Hayes, either through General Hayes or himself (I think he said by both), and that Mr. Hayes had given him letters recommending his appointment to some position. He stated that he had held several appointments under Hayes upon the strength of these recommendations. I said to him, in substance, that if such matters were to be presented in Congress, such action would undoubtedly be taken as the gravity of the complaint would demand. Dennis then told me that he would soon go to Florida to perfect these proofs. The next I heard of the matter, and all I have heard further, is what I have learned through the newspapers. Mr. Dennis desired me to treat the matter confidentially, and I have done so. He has chosen to go into the newspapers, and I suppose that relieves me from the obligation of secrecy. He has also given me some directions as to where I can obtain information of an improper use of funds by the McVeach Commission, and I have caused some investigation to be made into that matter, the results of which for the present I hold confidential. This is all I have to say."

Dr. John Smith, who settled in Racine county, in 1848, died at his home at Geneva Lake, in Walworth county on Friday. He was 81 years old. He was a member of the Legislature twenty-five years ago, and moved to Elkhorn in 1859.

A destructive fire occurred at River Falls, in Pierce county, which destroyed every business block—thirteen in number—in the town. The Normal School, of which Prof. Parker is President, was not touched.

Secretary Evans has lost his only son, a promising man of twenty-seven years. He died of consumption at Washington on Friday evening. He had been ill for several years.

The Supreme Court will meet on the 7th of May to call for arguments on cases Nos. 12, 14, 30, 35, 36, 37, 39, 41, 42, 43, 44, and 56.

Statistics of Recent Failures.
From the New York Tribune.

The recent increase in the number of failures is generally attributed to the prospect of repeal of the bankrupt act. Not only since the vote of the Senate for the repeal, but even since the agitation for it appeared likely to prevail, this cause has operated with more and more force. Doubtless it produced much of the increase in number of failures during the quarter ending March 31, and in the preceding quarter, the increase in average liabilities of firms failing. The number during the quarter was 3,355, against 2,939 during the first quarter of last year; the proportion of failures to firms in business was 51 in 10,000 during the last quarter, against 45 during the first quarter of 1877, and 44 in that part of 1876, and 33 in the first quarter of 1875. It does not seem unreasonable to suppose that as many as 6 in 10,000 of the firms doing business may have been induced by the prospect of a repeal of the bankrupt act to take that mode of getting rid of debt, or may have preferred to go into bankruptcy by creditors, in order to guard against the different proceedings which will be possible after the act has been repealed. The increase in number of failures was about 39 per cent. in New England, about 2 per cent. in the Western and Southern States, and very small in the Middle States and the Pacific States there was a decrease. The amount of liabilities was \$32,000,000, against \$53,500,000 during the first quarter of last year; but the increase in liabilities was about 80 per cent. at the South, about 70 per cent. in New England, about 60 per cent. at the West, and only about 40 per cent. in the Middle States.

Saved at 40 Miles an Hour.
From the New York Sun.

While the Erie lighting express train was sweeping down the valley of the Delaware, a mile below Cocton, on Wednesday afternoon, the engineer saw a little girl walking on the track. He was just round a curve. The locomotive shrieked, but within two seconds the child was overtaken and the train passed the spot where she had stood. The engineer looked behind the rear car, expecting to see her mangled body. But the track was clear. He stepped down the stairs of the locomotive, and saw the child plastered against the cowcatcher. She was senseless. He approached her with great care and succeeded in rescuing her as she was about to roll to the ground. The train was stopped and backed up to the residence of the girl's parents. They were poor people living in a shanty on the line of the road. The girl was about eleven years old. She was slightly out about the face, but escaped without further injury. The passengers were delayed ten minutes. When they left the child was smiling in the lap of her mother.

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PHILADELPHIA, April 26.—The President, Attorney-General Devans and Burchard Hayes, accompanied by members of the Industrial League, this morning went on a tour of inspection of the industrial establishments. Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Sherman and the other ladies of the party visited the Girls' Normal School, Home for the Friendless, School of Design, etc. After this the party went to dine at the residence of Mrs. Henry C. Gibson.

The President was everywhere received with the greatest enthusiasm. At Manassas the people turned out in full force, and the town bore a holiday appearance. Bunting was displayed in great profusion, business generally suspended, and factory bells were rung. The President, Burchard Hayes and Governor Hartranft, in charge of the Industrial League, reached Independence Hall at 5 o'clock. The President was received by George A. Smith, and a public reception began, which lasted till 7 o'clock.

The reception to Mrs. Hayes at the Academy of Fine Arts to-night, given by the ladies of Philadelphia, was the grandest social event of the kind ever given in this city.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 26.—This evening, at the ladies' reception, the President

SHOOTING.

The Saratoga Club Scores Sixteen Points Ahead of the Milwaukee Club.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 26.—The rifle match to-day between the Milwaukee and Saratoga, New York, Clubs, each shooting at its own range, and telegraphing the four highest scores, resulted in favor of Saratoga by 16 points. The Milwaukee had one point ahead at 500 yards, and Saratoga 17 ahead at 300 yards.

WISCONSIN MATTERS.

Orator of the State University—Sudden Death at Jefferson—Clerk of the Revenue Committee.

MADISON, April 26.—The home oratorical contest to choose an orator to represent the State University at the International Collegiate Contest to be held at Appleton on next Thursday was held in Assembly Chamber this evening. J. Taylor, of Black Earth, carried off the first honors, and R. G. Siebeker, of Sauk City, the second. Taylor's subject was "Martyrdom for Truth." A large party of University students will accompany him to Appleton.

JEFFERSON, Wis., April 26.—Nicholas Long, aged 43 years was found dead in his room at Keller's tavern, six miles east of this city, on Thursday, at 5 p. m. He was feeling ill and remained in his room during the day. A coroner's jury to-day decided the cause to be paralysis of the heart. MANASSAS, April 26.—Roger C. Spooner, of Madison, was to-day unanimously elected Clerk of the Legislative Revision Committee, in place of J. S. Curtis, incapacitated for work by ill-health.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Ladies and Gents will always find the latest and cheapest Box and Staple Stationery in the city and Sutherland's Bookstore, 29 Main street. "Tear 29d wlv."

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Why Senator Mitchell Changed His Name.

I saw seated on a sofa in the Senate chamber the other day two men, whose presence in Washington is a coincidence if not a mystery. These two men were Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, and Representative Thompson, of Pennsylvania. These men were law partners in Butler, Pa., in 1860. Mitchell had studied law with Thompson, and subsequently became his partner, under the firm name of Thompson & Hipple. The young firm was going on admirably in business, but Hipple's domestic relatives were of the most unhappy nature. Everybody sympathized with Hipple, and as Thompson said to me recently, nobody would have blamed him if he had announced to the public that he could not live with her any longer, and left her. At that time Thompson was in the Pennsylvania Legislature. During a visit to Butler, in either 1860 or 1861, Hipple told him he was going to Pittsburgh for a day or two. Hipple thereupon packed up a few things and departed, taking with him about \$2,000 belonging to the firm. Nothing was heard of him for several days, and Thompson began to grow uneasy. Hipple's wife was also becoming troublesome. Finally, after several days' anxiety, a letter came to Thompson from Hipple, dated from "The Wide World," in which he said he could not live with his wife, and had gone away forever. He secured Thompson by mortgage, etc., but Thompson for many years did not know where the old partner was, but Hipple managed by sending letters to be remailed from various parts of the country to settle every account he owed and to forward money to Thompson for the support of his wife. After many years had passed the two partners met by chance in Pittsburgh, the old feeling was renewed and the warmest feelings ever existed since. Now both of them are in Congress. What became of the old wife I do not know. A divorce was obtained, and Hipple married again on the Pacific coast. After leaving Pennsylvania, in 1860, Hipple changed his name from John Mitchell Hipple to John Mitchell, and by that name he has been known ever since. His present wife is a very charming lady, and he has two of the handsomest daughters in Washington. No man stands higher among his associates, and no Senator is more faithful to his duties.—H. J. Russell, in Philadelphia Times.

That Fetched Him.

In one of the Western States a man was brought into court on a charge of assault and battery, presented by his wife, and his Honor asked him why he struck her. "She called me a worthless, lazy loafer; but it wasn't that." "Well?" "She said our whole family weren't fit for fish-bait, but I didn't get mad at that." "What was it, then?" "She shook her fist under my nose and said I was too lazy to die, but I knowed she was excited and I let her pass. She's got a fearful temper, your honor." "I wish to know if you had sufficient cause for provocation," said the court. "I guess I had, Judge. She came up and spit in my face, and said I was meaner than pizen; but I didn't hit her for that." "What, then?" "I knowed her temper, and I set there and whistled 'Hold the Fort,' and I was bearing with her, when she turned round and gin my coon dog the smashingest kick lifted him right out'n doers onter his head. That fetched me. Judge, if there had been forty lions and a camel in the road, I'd have skinned her or died trying."—Henderson Times.

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THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1878.

FARM NOTES.

Chaska, Minnesota, farmers marketed 5,000 bushels of wheat on the 8th inst. at \$1.02 per bushel.

Wheat is reported to be six inches high in Southern Iowa. We think in many sections of this State it will quite equal that.

An intelligent farmer in Kentucky devotes the yearly product of one acre of his farm to purchasing reading matter for his family.

It is estimated that the increased wheat average in Wisconsin, Minnesota, North-east Iowa and Dakota, is 25 per cent, over last year and that in Southern Wisconsin the increase is still larger.

A law enacted by the last Legislature of Maine grants a bounty of one cent a pound on all sugar made from beets raised in the State. The bounty now exceeds \$7,000.

Mazels and other roots will flavor cows' milk, unless they are fed at the milking time. If fed then, the volatile odor and taste passes off through the skin before the next milking time.

We often hear, says the Husbandman, that such and such a one is a good farmer. How is good farming to be tested? Certainly not by the raising of one or two good crops. He is the good farmer who uniformly increases the aggregate product of his farm from year to year. The surest, trust test of good farming is, a constantly increasing production of the soil.

California is cheerful over the benefits which will result from the late flood. The Colist Sun says it is estimated that ten thousand acres of land heretofore comparatively unproductive have been covered from six inches to two feet with a rich alluvial deposit. The "hardpan" covered with this sediment makes the very best grainland.

The people of Wisconsin employ over 50,000 agricultural laborers, and 30,000 domestic servants—the wages of the former varying from \$15 to \$50 per month, and of the latter from \$8 to \$20. In the manufacturing, mechanical, and mining establishments of the State 53,517 people find employment, and receive for their labor upward of \$15,000,000 annually.

The Scientific American gives the following which our readers, who like poultry, will do well to heed: "Put a tablespoonful of sulphur in the nest as soon as the hens or turkeys are set. The heat of the fowl causes the fumes of the sulphur to penetrate every part of their bodies, every louse is killed, and, as all nits are hatched within ten days, when the mother leaves the nest with her brood, she is perfectly free from nits or lice."

The annual yield of potatoes in the United States, according to the returns of the last census, was nearly 150,000,000 bushels. In view of the increasing attention lately given to this crop it will doubtless show at the close of the present decade a large increase in the amount of the yield, as well as in the number and improvement of varieties. In fact, it may safely be assumed that, in spite of the years of many in regard to the ravages of the beetle, this crop will still show a yield at the next census of over 200,000,000 bushels.

Something New About Seed.

Western Rural.

The columns of The Western Rural have not been lacking in timely suggestions and reasonable articles in regard to the importance of planting good seed, and although the planting season has passed in attitude south of us, it is not too late to add a few words which may yet apply for more northern localities, and are hardly out of place at any time.

It is lamentably true that far too little importance is attached to the quality of seed used by the majority of farmers. Comparative few, in fact, seem to understand how much depends in the outcome of the crop, upon the excellence of the seed. Nothing is more certain than that all of our products deteriorate by continued cultivation, unless more than ordinary efforts are employed to keep them up to the maximum point of excellence. The reasons for this deterioration are various. We need not enlarge upon them now. Let it suffice that want of judgment and care in selecting seed, ungenial soil, an untoward season, improper or slovenly cultivation or no cultivation at all, poor management in treatment of the seed—these, and other things, contribute to the degeneration of crops of all kinds, and to what is sometimes called "running out" of varieties. Thus it has been, and thus it will be until we adopt a better method and adhere to it scrupulously of carefully picking out by hand, if need be, the very best specimens of seed, preserving them with care, treating them by the most approved methods calculated to preserve their vitality unimpaired, sowing and planting them in congenial soil, cultivating diligently with a view of obtaining the best results, and adhering, through all the routine of cultivation and management from seed time to seed time again, to that course which shall not only preserve the excellence of the finest specimens of the product, but if possible be an improvement upon them.

All of our cultivated products, both in the vegetable and animal kingdoms, are comparable upon nature by selection and culture. It is, in one sense, the "survival of the fittest," but in another, the "survival of the fittest" is not a mere survival, it is a regression into normal condition. We discover this law in all branches of husbandry. Our best varieties of cereals, crops, our vegetable proper, our fruits of all kinds, and our domestic animals, require constant care and management, and the exercise of good judgment in preserving their improved characteristics, or they begin to lose their vitality and comeliness, and in the course of a few years of degeneration—few compared with the length of time required to produce the higher type, are little better, if as good, as the original stock whence they came. No argument is required to substantiate this fact. Every farmer finds evidences of its truth in his yearly experience. In the hands of those who exercise the least care and judgment, varieties and types of everything raised on the farm degenerate much more rapidly than under the management of one who employs more care and better methods in his business. Herein is found one of the primary reasons why grain, and fruits, and vegetables "run out" so soon.

Let us plant none but good seed, in order that, with other favorable conditions, we may secure the maximum of yield and quality at harvest, and reap the fair rewards of our labor in the outcome of the crop.

A New Wheat-Country.

There is now in Texas quite a lively agitation of the question whether that State cannot be developed into one of the wheat-growing and food-exporting sections of the country. The success which has apparently followed the experiments of raising wheat during the past few years, and the great favor which the grain raises in that State is said to have been among the manufacturers, have raised hopes among the people of Galveston of making their city one of the principal grain and flour marts of the world. During the war a small quantity of wheat was grown in the northern counties of the State, but since the war cotton has been the principal crop raised, until a few years ago, when attention was turned once more to the cultivation of wheat. The section now devoted to that cereal is said to extend into the center of the State. Thirteen counties produced last year 7,500,000 bushels of wheat, valued at \$9,000,000. It is estimated that wheat could be grown in 170 counties, and that the annual value of the wheat crop could be raised to \$75,000,000.

Should the weather prove propitious, the next wheat crop of Texas, it is said will be enormously large. All over the wheat region of the State farmers are turning their attention to its cultivation, and will plant less cotton than heretofore.

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VEGETINE FOR Chills, Shakes, Fever and Ague.

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Dear Sir:—I feel very grateful for what your valuable medicine, Vegetine has done in my family. I wish to express my thanks to you for the wonderful cure of my son; also, to let you know that Vegetine is the best medicine I ever saw for Chills and Ague. My son was sick with Chills and Ague for three weeks, and he did nothing but cry. The doctors did not help him a particle, he could not lift his foot from the floor, he could not walk without crutches. I read your advertisement in the Louisville Courier-Journal, that Vegetine was a great Blood Purifier and Blood Food. I tried one bottle, which was a great benefit. He kept on with the medicine, gradually gaining. He has taken eighteen bottles in all, and he is completely restored to health. Walks without crutches or cane. He is twenty years of age. I have a younger son, fifteen years of age, who is also sick with Chills and Ague. He feels like coming on, he comes in, takes a dose of Vegetine and feels the last of that Chills. Vegetine has a powerful effect on the bowels, cleanses the stomach, regulates the bowels, and imparts a tone of vigor to the whole body.

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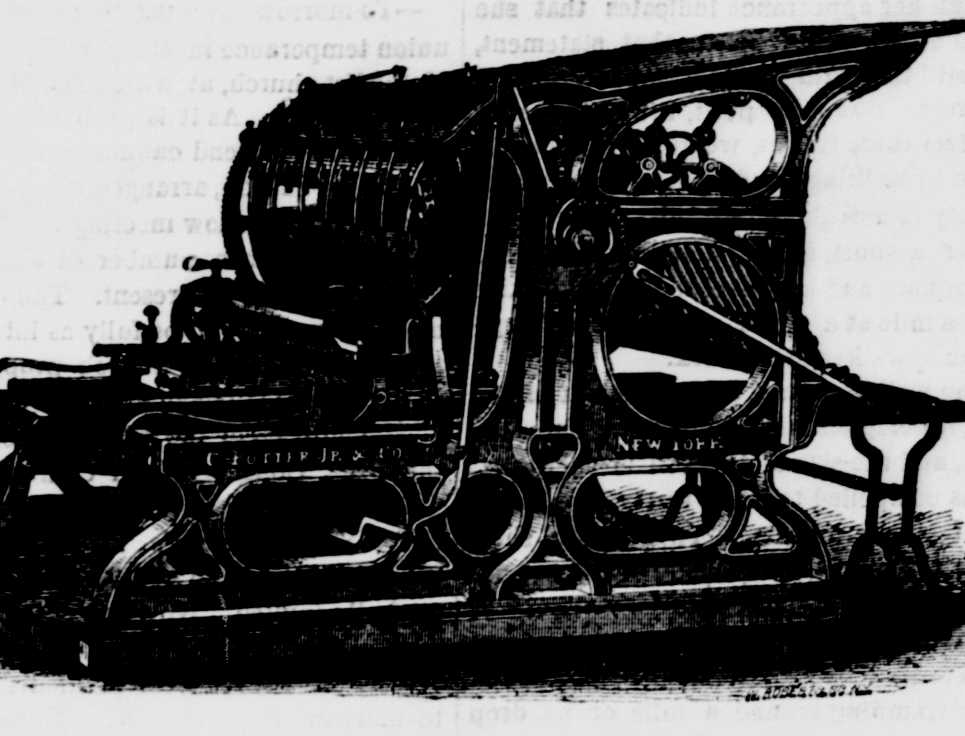
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CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEFLETS.

—Old Probe is sulky and sultry.

—The ladies should insist on either less trail or less mud.

—The mothers will now have a rest. School opens on Monday.

—The Knights of Pythias propose to have the finest papered hall in the west.

—The summer term of the public schools opens next Monday morning at nine o'clock.

—Will Spang in walking with Miss Lachapelle made eighteen miles in three hours and fifty minutes.

—The freight house of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad is being repaired, and put in better shape than ever.

—The school dames met this morning to talk over the outlook for the summer term which commences next Monday morning.

—Cucumbers and other edibles of their kind are showing up, and the doctors watch the buyers with a strange sort of satisfaction.

—George Cleland, of Janesville, has been recently elected one of the directors of the Wisconsin Sheep Breeders' and Wool Growers' Association.

—The money order department during the past week issued 121 orders amounting to \$1,286.06, and paid 109 amounting to \$1,035.25, making a total cash handled, \$3,321.31.

—At the Art Study at All Souls church, last evening, Miss Mary Golden read a paper on Correggio, and Mr. Jones read facts concerning Titian, as culled by Mrs. Patten.

—At the meeting of the Crystal Temple of Honor, last night, two initiations took place. The Temple tendered the use of the hall this evening to the Spring Brook Temple.

—In the account of the entertainment at the residence of William E. Swan, Esq., on Milton avenue, the name of Miss Bessie Swan, who took a prominent part, was accidentally omitted.

—The Binghamton Crickets, who are made up largely of old Janesville boys, don't seem to be in very good luck. Yesterday they were again defeated by the Ucares by 4 to 0.

—Mr. J. G. Wulff, who has been stage manager of the Arcade, has not only done the red-ribbon, but has got the business, and proposes to strike out into some more praiseworthy enterprise. If the way opens up as he expects, he intends remaining in Janesville.

—Mr. J. C. Jenkins has fitted up an elegant fountain in his front yard. Its arrangement for a water supply is simple, the pipes proceeding from a large reservoir at the barn, and having a head of over twenty feet. It proves a handsome adornment for the Jenkins' residence.

—In spite of the announcement of the postponement of the gathering of Odd Fellows at Whitewater, a number of the fraternity gathered there, and held a pleasant informal meeting, and formally adjourned until May 30, at which time the celebration will take place.

—A movement is on foot to start a Temple of Honor in Harmony. If the weather does not prove too unfavorable some of the members of the Crystal Temple of this city will go out to-night to talk over the matter, and explain the workings of the order, at the request of some of the residents of that place.

—Two tramps sought shelter and food at the jail last night. They were better garbed than most who come to town. One hailed from Pennsylvania and the other from Indiana. They say that the roads are in bad condition, and work scarce. There will be plenty of work on the streets here in a few days more, if they will only wait.

—As announced in the Gazette several days ago, Harvard is to be treated next Monday night, to a concert and entertainment by talent from this city. The programme embraces the names of Mr. O. H. Fether, Miss Clara Smith, Prof. Titcomb, Mrs. C. B. Conrad, Mr. J. P. Williams, Mr. D. D. Bennett and Mrs. J. W. St. John. Harvard may be assured that the treat will be a "best" indeed.

—Judge Conger and Dr. Judd returned this afternoon from their trip. Both are enjoying their usual good health, and are gladly welcomed back by their many friends in this city. In another part of this issue will be found an interesting letter from the Doctor, received a few days ago, but the publication of which has been necessarily delayed. It is the best yet given from the Doctor's pen, and will be perused with interest.

—An amateur nine is to be organized soon to represent this city in the diamond field this season. The material is on hand for the formation of a strong team, and the boys are practicing as much as the weather will permit, and the places will soon be permanently assigned. As Oshkosh and Milwaukee will both have amateur teams, there will probably be some lively contests here this summer, between them and other clubs.

—Mrs. Kate Lynch, of Beloit, was released yesterday from jail, having served twenty days for drunkenness. The officials say that during the past year she has spent 300 days in jail. This is a fine record for a woman who has an industrious husband, and five children, the oldest of whom is about twelve years old, and the youngest about three. It is to be hoped that Kate will now go home and behave herself.

—In one of the saloons last night there was a narrow escape from furnishing a column sensation for to-day. An American citizen of African descent, and an imported white man were sitting playing cards when a dispute arose, in which several took a part. Finally the darker drew a razor, and the white fellow a chair, and each cried for gore, but a ghastly-faced peace-maker, who had no sympathy with peace-makers, spotted the item by apologizing for each to the other. They sat down in peace again, grabbed the pasteboards, called for more beer, and went on with the game.

FLEET FEET.

They Travel Fifty Miles in Less than Eleven Hours, and are Still on the Track—Incidents of the Walk.

Miss Exilda Lachapelle at Lappin's Hall, at 8 o'clock last evening commenced her task of walking 100 miles in 26 hours. She stepped off lightly and freely, and at once convinced the large audience who had gathered to witness her feat of feet, that she fully understood the nature of the task before her, and meant to perform it squarely and fairly. She is a little French lady, claiming to be only nineteen years old, though her appearance indicates that she could add several years to that statement, and still the truth would not be stretched severely. She is a pett, brunette, stands five feet three inches, weighs 112 pounds, when in walking condition, and measures twenty inches about the waist. She takes rather a short, quick step, but plants her foot square and fair, and, and skips over a mile at a rapid speed, for a long-distance walker of her sex.

The walk prepared for her is not of the best, it being simply saw just laid upon the floor, and the size of the hall is such that she is compelled to make thirty laps in order to score a mile. This makes short turns, and many of them and of course adds greatly to her fatigue.

She is accompanied in her walk from time to time by citizens who drop in, and after tramping around a mile or so drop out, and by a few of the young men who manage to keep up with her for a longer distance, young Fisher having walked in all about twenty-five miles, Will Spang about nineteen, and young Wyler about ten. Will Webster, Will King and others, took a whirl on the track, and when they were there of course Miss Exilda walked with "a will." Some of the more staid citizens, such as Thomas Lappin and Garrett Veeder tried the track too, but a few turns were enough to send them off puffing. S. Clark Burnham and young Wyler had a side race on the track this morning, of a mile distance in which Wyler came out ahead by about a lap-time 11 minutes. These little side-shows somewhat interfere with Miss Lachapelle's walking, and should be barred, except as far as it encourages her to have some one accompany her on the tedious tramp.

She kept to the track until about 1 o'clock this morning when she finished her twenty-fifth mile in ten minutes, she having made her tenth also in that time. After partaking of a light lunch of toast and tea, she again went on the track and stuck to it, until she completed her fiftieth mile at ten minutes before seven o'clock this morning, she having during that time made her thirty-fourth mile also in ten minutes. She then left the track for a rest and for breakfast. Her knees were badly swollen, and Dr. Palmer was called in to attend to her. After receiving such treatment as she required, she breakfasted lightly, and at half past eight o'clock went on to the track again, having made fifty miles, half of the distance required, in ten hours and fifty minutes, not including her last stop.

In her sixtieth mile she also made a spurt of speed, and made the half in five minutes.

At quarter past three o'clock this afternoon she finished her seventy-fifth mile, having been nineteen hours, and fifteen minutes in walking that distance, and being fifteen minutes ahead of time. She appeared in good condition, and will probably finish her 100 miles in time, as she was walking along at a gallop of about four miles an hour, and can easily put in a few sprints of speed on the home stretch.

THE WEATHER.

The thermometer at 7 o'clock this morning stood at 48 degrees above zero and at 2 o'clock at 55 degrees above. Cloudy. One year ago to-day at corresponding hours the thermometer stood at 42 degrees and 47 degrees above.

The indications to-day are, north to west winds, cooler, cloudy or partly cloudy weather, falling followed by rising barometer.

ORATORY AT BELOIT.

The following named members of Beloit College last night took part in the home contest in oratory to decide who should represent the College in the State Contest, to be held at Appleton, next Thursday: John Steele, of Genesee, Theron Daham, of Beloit, G. M. Herrick, of Rockford, and E. P. Fish, of Chicago. The successful contestant is John Steele, of Genesee.

THE GIDDY WHIRL.

The Old Fellows of this city were greatly disappointed at the necessary postponement of the contemplated celebration at Whitewater, but they tried to atone for it last evening by a pleasant social at Eble's hall, which was participated in by about sixty members and their ladies. Messrs. W. Grove, John Dyer, and Henry Dewey acted as floor managers. E. B. Heimstreet and S. M. Gilmore attended to the badges and tickets. The occasion was one of great enjoyability. Berrie's band furnished the music.

THE TIES THAT BIND.

The red-ribbon workers met at the Court Street church last evening and listened to a very enthusiastic speech from Dr. McCollister. A large number added their names to the list of cold-water workers, and donated the ribbon. It is a noticeable fact that the proportion of men is nightly increasing, which speaks well for the success of the movement as it is the men principally whom the Doctor is after.

To-night there will be no meeting, but to-morrow night there will be a grand rally at Court Street church.

Sometime next week probably the work of a formal organization will be entered upon. Considerably over a thousand have now joined and it is proposed to organize one or more regular clubs. It is also proposed to fit up regular club-rooms, consisting of a coffee room, reading room, social room, and to provide such games as the club may deem proper, so as to make it a pleasant resort, not only for members of the club, but for strangers in the city who find time hanging idly on their hands.

The movement is unlike many of the temperance movements in so far as it is not

so much of a violent ranting and bitter denouncing of those who drink and those who sell, and yet the leaders seem none the less earnest in their determination to persuade men to leave their cups and become sober-minded, by appealing to the head and the heart, instead of trying to drive them by blackguardism or denunciations.

SUNDAY SUNDRIES.

The Religious Services to Take Place To-morrow—A Union Temperance Rally in the Evening.

To-morrow evening there will be a union temperance meeting at Court Street Methodist church, at which Dr. McCollister will speak. As it is probable that all who desire to attend cannot secure admission to the church, arrangements have been made for an overflow meeting in the room below, at which a number of Janesville's best talkers will be present. The overflow meeting promises to be fully as interesting as the meeting in the church proper, and those who attend can take their choice.

—The theme of the pastor's discourse at the First Congregational church to-morrow morning is "Clay in the Hands of the Potter." Young people's meeting at Prof. Haire's school room at 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. No services in the evening.

—At the Court Street Methodist church to-morrow Rev. L. N. Wheeler will discourse in the morning on, "Conflict and Victory."

—At Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. E. B. Wells, of this diocese, will preach and confirm candidates in the morning. The retiring rector, Rev. George Wallace, will officiate for the last time previous to his departure for Waterloo, New York, where he will take charge of St. Paul's parish.

—At All Souls church to-morrow morning Rev. Mr. Jones will preach on "Wise Forethought, or the True Concern for To-morrow." No evening service.

—At Christ Episcopal church Rev. Mr. Royce will officiate and preach on "Confirmation." In the evening the Rt. Rev. E. B. Wells will preach, and confirm candidates, the Trinity parish uniting in the services.

—Miss E. J. Stephen, formerly a teacher in Wiley University, will speak at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in behalf of the freedmen.

—Service at the Presbyterian church to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Sanderson. Subject, "Evil Days." Young Peoples Meeting at 6:30 p. m. No evening service.

Court Street M. E. Church.—Corner of Main and Court streets. Rev. J. N. Wheeler, Pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Methodist Episcopal Church.—Corner of Jackson and Center streets. Rev. J. A. Clark, Pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday-school at 12 M. Prayer-meetings Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Christ Church.—On Court street, Rev. A. L. Kotter, Rector. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

St. Patrick's Church.—Corner of Holmes and Cherry streets. Rev. JAMES M. DOLY, Pastor. Services at 8:00 a. m., 10:30 a. m. and Vespers at 3:00 p. m.

Trinity Church.—Corner of Jackson and Bluff streets. Rev. GEORGE WALLACE, Rector. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Presbyterian Church.—On Jackson street. Rev. J. W. SANDERSON, Pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Baptist Church.—Corner of Jackson and Pleasant streets. Rev. W. S. BOWERS, Pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School at 12 M. Prayer-meetings on Thursday evenings at 7:00 o'clock.

St. Mary's Church.—Catholic.—Corner of Wisconsin and North First streets; Rev. J. W. McCann, Pastor. Services at 8 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 5 p. m.

All Souls Church.—Corner of Court and Bluff streets. Rev. J. L. JONES, Pastor. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 12:15 p. m.

Congregational Church.—Corner of Jackson and Dodge streets. Rev. T. P. SWAN, Pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. W. M. C. A.—Meeting 9 o'clock every morning except Sunday. 7:30 Wednesday evening. 3:30 Sabbath afternoon. All are welcome.

MILTON.

Notwithstanding the mud and darkness, College Chapel, at Milton, was well filled on Thursday evening, April 25th, by an audience that had assembled to hear the orations which were to be presented by the gentlemen who had been selected as contestants for the honor of representing their College in the Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Contest. The audience came to order at the call of the presiding officer, President Albert Whitford, and the services opened with music by Harry Anderson's Orchestra, of Janesville, after which the following programme was presented.

Oration—"Omega"—Mr. W. E. Hemphill. Music—Orchestra. Oration—"Progress and Romanism." Mr. J. L. Sullivan. Music—Orchestra. Oration—"The Maelstrom in Europe." Mr. J. N. Humphrey. Music—Orchestra. Oration—"Control of National Weakness." Mr. Ira Flieger. Music—Orchestra. Oration—"The Tramp Nuisance." Mr. C. E. Crandall. Music—Orchestra.

The judges and referee, Professors, Burton, of Janesville, Rockwood, of Whitewater, Reverend Jenk L. Jones, of Janesville, and Professor Seasing, of Milton, handed their reports to a committee consisting of Prof. Maxson, Superintendent Tracy and Messrs. Boyle, Curtis and Clarke, who retired, examined the papers and reported that the first honor was awarded to Mr. J. I. Stillman '78, of Farina, Illinois, and the second honor to Mr. C. E. Crandall, of Milton, the announcement being received with hearty applause.

The marking was 83 for Mr. Stillman and 80 for Mr. Crandall on a scale of 100. The remaining contestants were marked from 72 to 78, showing that the judges were of the opinion that all acquitted themselves very creditably. The selection of Mr. Stillman meets with general approval and coincided with the markings of a number in the audience. The committee made an error in their figures and announced that Mr. Humphrey was entitled to second place, but a re-examination of the papers showed that Mr. Crandall was the lucky individual. This contest was, in our opinion, superior to its predecessors, and while Milton's representative may not carry off the honors at the Inter-Collegiate Contest, he will reflect credit on the institution and acquit himself creditably.

—The residence of F. Buten, two miles east of this village, was entered by burglars Thursday night. The thieves went into Mr. Buten's bed room, took his pocket-book out of his pants, went through it twelve dollars' worth and decamped. He found the wallet in the morning but the

thieves are non-est. Moral—sleep with one eye open.

CRITIC CRITICISED.

To the Editor: On reading the report in your Friday's issue, I read my paragraph, and find not one word to retract. If my Zollus can convince me of error, let him do so. It is easy to say cold, and if warmth means flattery falsehood, I do not wish to be warm. My Zollus says the recital was a success as if it were not so stated in my own verdict, and when he says that I ignore the fact of its being a pupil performance, the "unfairness" is on his part. Honest truth is the best sympathy, and any one who has a constitution, prefers a cold bath to a dip in the lukewarm bath of ordinary fulsome praise. I give credit in each case for excellence, as well as pointing out faults, and it is this "cold-blooded," let it so be. There is but one standard, and it is no discouragement to say the simple truth. If a man has a mountain to climb, does it help him to say he is half way up, when he is only 100 feet from the bottom? Without needing to skulk behind the initials, I am yours respectfully, the irrelevant, incompetent, immaterial

JOHN S. VAN CLEYE.

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All who use them say that Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts are the strongest and most natural flavors made. It makes all the difference in the world whether our creams and pastry are flavored with Dr. Price's nice, fresh fruit flavors, or the offensive turpentine extracts.

CITY NOTICES.

School Books. The great school supply depot for Rock County, is at Sutherland's bookstore. He agrees to forfeit the price of every book he sells, if he fails to sell as cheap as any other person in the county. For a good supply of books, call at Sutherland's.

Croft & Sherer's Drugstore. Is the place you will always receive prompt and courteous attention, and you will find the best of everything at the lowest possible price. There is nothing in the Drug, Chemical or Patent Medicine line but what they keep.

DIED.

GRAHAM.—This morning at 7 o'clock, WILLIAM J. GRAHAM, of Koshkonong. Mr. Graham was born in Pike, Pa., December 24th 1808, and moved to Rock county, March 4th, 1829.

The funeral services will take place at the residence, Monday, April 29th, 1878, at 4 o'clock, p. m.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

Milwaukee, April 26. Flour—Quiet and prices unchanged. Wheat—opened 10½¢ higher; closed quiet; No 1 Milwaukee hard 1 18½¢; No 1 Milwaukee 1 18½¢; No 2 do 1 13½¢; April 1 13½¢; May 1 13½¢; June 1 11½¢; No. 3 Milwaukee 1 16½¢.

CORN—No 2 40½¢; No 3 38½¢.

OATS—No 2 28½¢.

RYE—No 1 30½¢.

BARLEY—No 2 spring 37½¢.

PORK—mess 9 cash.

LARD—prime steam 6 9½¢; kettle 7 15¢.

CATTLE—Range at 20 to 25 00 according to quality and grade.

DRESSED HOGS—3 50.

SHEEP—Range at 20 to 25 00 according to condition and weight.

SEEDS—Timothy 1 05 1 15 1 15; clover 2 10 2 10 2 10.

EGGS—Fresh 7½¢ fresh.

CHEESE—14½¢.

HONEY—14½¢.

WOOL—Washed 32½¢; unwashed 22½¢.

But washed 34½¢; pulled 36½¢.

TALLOW—74¢.

HOPS—New 18½¢; old 12¢.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, April 26. Flour—Quiet and stronger. There was a slight improvement in the demand, but not enough to make the market active.

Wheat—More active, and stronger, advancing 2 cents per bushel.

CORN—41½¢ cash.

OATS—27½¢ cash.

RYE—No 2, 50¢.

BARLEY—New No 4 47½¢.

PORK—cash 9 9½¢.

LARD—cash 6 9½¢.

LIVE HOGS—3 50 3 50 according to grade.

WHISKY—1 08.

HOPS—4 25 4 25.

HONEY—11 12 12.

CHEESE—11 12 12.

EGGS—Fresh 7½¢.

BUTTER—15 25, according to quality.

PULLED—Hicks 10 12 12; chickens at 20 25 per dozen.

TALLOW—84 No 1.

BEANS—\$1 01 1 15.

BROOM CORN—54 55¢, according to quality.

FEATHERS—Prime live geese, 42 43¢; live duck, 20¢.

Wool—Washed 36 35¢; unwashed 22 25¢; tub washed, fair to good, 28 29¢.

New York Grain and Produce Market.

New York, April 26.

COTTON—Memphis quotation 7½¢.

CORN—24 25¢ western.

OATS—25 26¢ white western.

RYE—western 71¢.

BARLEY—67½¢.

PORK—65 66¢ mess.

LARD—72½¢.

HAY—Shipping 60 65¢.

CORN MEAL—2 20 2 25.

WHISKY—1 07.

SUGAR—firm but quiet; refined 9 29½¢.

MOLASSES—New Orleans 24 25¢.

PETROLEUM—64 65¢ crude; refined 11¢.

LEATHER—firm.

ROBIN—50 55¢.

WOOL—domestic fleece 30 31¢; pulled 20 21¢.

Tallow—24 25¢.

CHEESE—11 12 12.

BUTTER—Western 74 75¢.

EGGS—Western 10 11¢.

TURPENTINE—30¢.

NAPHTHA—54¢.

HOPS—Western 5 25¢.

BEEF—Western 9¢.

RICE—24 27¢.

New York Money Market.

New York, April 26.

Money; 3 31 per cent.

Sterling exchange 4 86 100 long; 4 59 short.

Gold 100 3.

Silver 90 21 2 per cent discount.

Government strong.

State bonds quiet.

Stocks weak.

Seed Corn for Sale.

Mr. William Gunn has a limited quantity of seed corn for sale. Persons wishing to purchase can call on him at his place in the town of Rock, 2 miles southwest of this city, on west side of the river. Price \$1 per bushel. SWW.

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Of Hartford, Conn.

NET ASSETS, January 1, 1877.....\$44,920,146.47

RECEIVED IN 1877: For Premiums.....\$6,480,014.06

For Interest and Rent.....2,680,002.42

Balance Profit and Loss.....22,364.86

9,192,281.34

\$53,212,427.81

DISBURSED IN 1877.

For claims by death and insured endowment.....\$3,308,724.09

Surplus returned to Policyholders.....2,511,776.24

Lapsed and surrendered Policies.....1,305,783.43